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**IN THE  
UNITED STATES  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**IN RE APPLICATION OF:** Brunotte et al.

**CASE:** OST-031201

**RESPONSE TO  
OFFICE ACTION**

**SER. NO.:** 10/714,573

**FILING DATE:** November 14, 2003

**FOR:** PROJECTION LENS AND  
MICROLITHOGRAPHIC PROJECTION  
EXPOSURE APPARATUS

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**EXAMINER:**

**Dear Sir:**

If any charges or fees must be paid in connection with the following communication, they may be paid out of our Deposit Account No. 50-0545.

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on June 7, 2004. Please consider the following remarks towards reconsideration and allowance of the present application.

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Applicant hereby requests a refund in the amount of \$36.00 for the above-identified application.

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In a routine check of Applicant's Attorney's deposit account, Applicant's Attorney noticed an unanticipated charge withdrawn on September 27, 2004 in the amount of \$36.00 for Fee Code 1202 (additional claims over 20) in connection with the application assigned serial number 10/714,573. Inasmuch as our Response to the Office Action filed on September 7, 2004, did not include any additional claims than was originally filed, additional claim fees should not have been incurred.

In light of the foregoing, Applicant hereby respectfully requests a refund of the \$36.00 fee associated with serial number 10/714,573 in the form of a credit to Applicants Attorney's deposit account number 50-0545.

Should anything further be required, a telephone call to the undersigned at (312) 226-1818 is respectfully invited.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 29, 2004

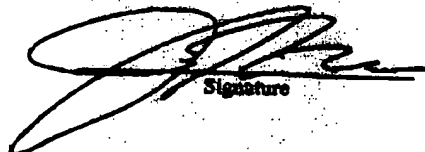
  
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